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# New Pool Elevator For Lac la Biche

TOUR HAWAII

## Alberta Farmers Invited To Visit World's 2nd Largest Cattle Ranch

A visit to the world's second largest cattle ranch is on the agenda for Alberta farmers and their wives who will visit Hawaii by air, Oct. 16. Anyone interested in a "tour with a purpose" is welcome to join the group for 16 wonderful days in the tropical paradise.

Farmers, farm implement dealers and agricultural workers and their families will be able to study methods of farming and ranching in a tropical climate during the tour which is being arranged by Northwest Orient Airlines and organized by the Sun Publishing Co. Ltd., in co-operation with Holiday Travel Agencies.

Of special interest to Alberta cattle breeders, will be the two-day trip to Kamuela, on the island of Hawaii, to visit the world's second largest cattle ranch—the Parker Ranch, where there will be an opportunity to fully inspect Hawaiian livestock production.

There will also be a full day excursion to the Island of Oahu with a representative of the Hawaiian Territorial Board of Agriculture as guide to inspect agriculturel methods and crops on the island.

Another item of interest to many will be the Pearl Harbor Cruise to Battleship Row, where the damage of December 7, 1941 is still evident and the full story of this event will be related.

The tour directors will be Bill and Debbie Pue of the Sun Publishing Co Ltd. and Mrs. Bette Rollans of Holiday Travel Agencies, who extend a warm invitation to you to join them in a visit to these tropical islands—in the late fall—when the worries of the year's harvesting are over and you are ready for a well-earned rest.

Full details on page three of Country Life.

## 440,000 Seek Oil Dividend

EDMONTON—The Alberta Government has so far received 444,000 applications for the oil and gas royalty dividend, F. G. Stewart, assistant deputy provincial treasurer, said last week.

An estimated 500,000 persons are eligible to receive the $17.50 dividend.

Mr. Stewart said more than half the applications received have been processed, with 70,000 cheques mailed out. Another 70,000 will be mailed this month.

Some 47,000 applications have been returned because they failed to meet requirements.

MICHAEL B. GAUSDEN

## Appoint B. of M. PRO Assistant

Michael B. Gausden has been appointed an assistant manager of the Bank of Montreal's public relations department and will head the bank's news and information division, Munro Brown, B of M public relations manager, has announced.

Mr. Gausden will be responsible for the bank's extensive publicity operations and will maintain liaison between B of M branches and news media throughout Canada and abroad, Mr. Brown said.

Born and educated in England, Mr. Gausden has had 13 years' news and p.r. experience. He joined the bank a year ago after six years as a Canadian army p.r officer in Ottawa, Vancouver and Germany. In 1951 he was a copywriter in the advertising department of Frank W. Horner, Ltd., Montreal. Earlier he was news editor of CFBC, Saint John, N.B.; a news editor in the Montreal and Toronto bureaus of BUP; and a reporter on a London, England, weekly.

Immediately before joining the B of M in 1957, he had served two years as news editor in the Directorate of Public Relations (Army) in Ottawa.

A militia captain, he is PRO for the Royal Montreal Regiment.

The loud talker substitutes volume for intellect.

## Excavation Work Begun On 60,000 Bushel Structure

Sod was turned Saturday morning for a new 60,000-bushel grain elevator at Lac la Biche. Site of the elevator, to be built by the Alberta Wheat Pool, is immediately west from the former Alberta Seed Growers' Co-op, which is now owned by the Pool.

Men and equipment began excavating at the site last Saturday in preparation for pouring the concrete footings. The construction superintendent was expected to arrive sometime Saturday from Lloydminster, where the crew has been working, and a truck load of cement was due the same day.

The structure will be built by the Wheat Pool's own construction crew, but it is expected that several local carpenters will also be employed on the job which will probably take at least two months according to the foreman.

### Lac la Biche

Darlene Scott, on the staff of the main branch of the Imperial Bank in Calgary, spent the Labor Day weekend at her home here.

Mrs. C. Wo'stenholme visited her daughter, Mrs. Peter McLea and family in Pincher Creek, recently. She accompanied the McLea's to Waterton Park and Cameron Lake and also visited the famous Frank Slide.

Mike Maccagno, Liberal M L.A. for this district, spent several days last week visiting Fort Smith and other points in the northern section of his constituency.

Miss Emeline Pruden, employed with the Special Areas Branch of the Department of Municipal Affairs, Hanna, spent the Labor Day weekend with her family here.

Young people from town and district who plan to enter University, shortly, include Lillian Zinko, Education; Dianne Kozak, Nursing; Helen Lukasik, Education; David Gatzke, Engineering, and Johnny Maccagno, Medicine.

Miss Lorraine Hayduk has joined the staff of the Imperial Bank in Edmonton.

### South Hylo

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Larson and Sonia Sawchuk of Edmonton were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Sawchuk.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Diesel, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Diesel, Mr. Henry Diesel and Mr. Pat Given of Owl River attended a birthday supper in honor of Mrs. L. J. Diesel at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sawchuk.

Mrs. Walter Stratichuk has returned home from the hospital.

## Athabasca M.D. Busy Sending Tax Notices To Ratepayers For '58

The municipal office of the M.D. of Athabasca at Meanook was busy last week sending out 1958 tax notices which told ratepayers a three per cent discount will be allowed on taxes paid within 60 days. By December 1, the discount will have dropped to two per cent, M.D. officials say.

The province of Alberta has reduced the 1958 tax levy against the ratepayers in the Athabasca M.D. by contributing $1,301,187 as the total provincial assistance.

Here is a breakdown of government contributions:

Education Grants - Operational $667,938; Education Grants - Capital $302,752; Highway Grants - (Estimated) $68,331; Welfare Grants - (Estimated) $3,446; Hospital Grants - (Estimated) $70,634; Municipal Assistance Act Grant $173,175; Other Grants (Health Unit $9,411) $14,911.

The total tax levy by the municipality for 1958 totals $256,778. This is composed of:

Municipal Levy (Estimated $85,064; Education Levy (Estimated) $131,208; Hospital Levy (Estimated) $40,506.

Some grants, such as school and municipal hospital, are paid to the local authorities concerned. The grants as shown are the municipality's share computed on the same basis used in arriving at the demands upon the tax levy and have a direct bearing on the above total tax levy of the municipality.

## 18 Claims Staked In Big Uranium Find Northeast Of Lac la Biche

LAC LA BICHE— Prospectors and geologists returning from the potentially mineral rich northeast corner of Alberta have described their findings as "interesting". A considerable number of claims have been staked on the precambrian shield section on which the Research Council of Alberta carried out detailed surface studies during the past two summers.

Edmonton Geologist Dr. R. S. Taylor and M. P. McDougal, a bush pilot from McMurray, jointly staked 18 claims west of Andrew Lake where outcrops of sulphides and pyrities were noted. These minerals are not particularly valuable but are a good indication that elements such as nickel, silver, gold or copper may be in the vicinity. Dr. Taylor said.

The research council geologist who headed field parties into the area said that a major U.S. firm American Climax Company Limited, has expressed interest in the findings of Molybdenite which is important for atomic reactor and steel hardening purposes. In addition to Molybdenite, high grade samples of Uranium were picked up by CA geologists.

## GOOSE LAKE MAN WINS TWO FIRSTS AT ARCHERY MEET

LAC LA BICHE — Herb Erickson, well-known resident of the Goose Lake district participated in the Dominion Archery Championship held in Winnipeg, Aug. 25-28. Forty men and as many women took part in the four-day event.

Herb placed first in two events, archery golf and battle clout and placed third in the aggregate target and aggregate fields event. First place winner in the aggregate target was Jack Kelf of Brantford, Ont., second place went to Frank Jones of Victoria, B.C.

Prior to Mr. Erickson's trip to Winnipeg, a dance was he'd at Craigend to raise funds to defray expenses of his trip. Louis Turgeon and his orchestra donated the music for the dance.

Several business men of Lac la Biche also assisted financially. These included Mike Hamar, George Langevin, Ted Mackriss, Mike Maccagno, E. Martin and the Royal Cafe. This assistance was greatly appreciated by Mr. Erickson for without it, he would have been unable to take part in the contest.

Two carloads of archery contestants from Edmonton and district motored to Winnipeg for the event. Herb was the only representative from Northern Alberta.

HARRISON CALDWELL, who believes he is the only U.S. Negro principal of an all-white elementary school, poses in Seattle with two teachers after a year on the job. He says the school is "living example of how people can get along."

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## Alabama Negro Given Reprieve

MONTGOMERY, Ala. — Jimmy Wilson, who had been sentenced to death for stealing $1.95 from a white woman, was given a reprieve last week. Appeals from all over the world were sent to Governor Folsom of Alabama to spare the life of this poor colored man.

T. W. Pue, editor of this newspaper, sent a cheque for $1.95 to the State of Alabama with a letter urging that the harsh sentence for robbery be commuted. So far, no reply has been received by Mr. Pue from the southern state's governor.

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## Lac la Biche School Examination Results

Thirty-two Grade nine students of Lac la Biche school wrote a total of 192 departmental examinations during the past June and attained these standings: H—28, A—42, B—55, C—41, D—26.

The percentage of students in each category is shown as compared with the provincial average.

Lac la Biche: H—14.6, A—21.8; B—28.6, C—21.4, D—13.5.

P.A.: H—10, A—25, B—35, C—20, D—10.

Three students attained "Honors" standing, having an average above 80 percent. They are Kathleen Duban, Donna Hamar, and Annetta Senetza.

Grade twelve results for Lac la Biche High School show the following:

Number of students who wrote examinations—27.

Total number of examinations written—150.

Standings obtained in each category: H—5, A—34, B—58, C—35, D—18.

The percentage of students in each category is shown as compared with the provincial average:

Lac la Biche: H—3.3, A—22.7, B—38.7, C—23.3, D—12.

P.A.: H—5, A—20, B—35, C—25, D—15.

A "D" standing below 40 percent represents failure. "C" standing, 40 percent signifies credit toward high school diploma, but is not acceptable for university matriculation which requires a minimum of "B" in each subject, with an overall average of not less than 60 percent.

There is no predetermined pass mark for departmental examinations. A student's mark in a subject depends upon his showing on the examination paper as compared with that of all the others in the Province writing the same paper. In Grade twelve the lowest 15 percent are graded as "D", failures, the next 25 per cent as "C", and so on. Only the top 5 per cent in the province are awarded "HONORS".

Only about one-fifth of the students who pass Grade nine in the province reach the grade 12 examination level. Thus it becomes apparent that competition in Grade 12 is extremely keen, and that a combination of high ability and great exertion of effort is necessary to succeed.


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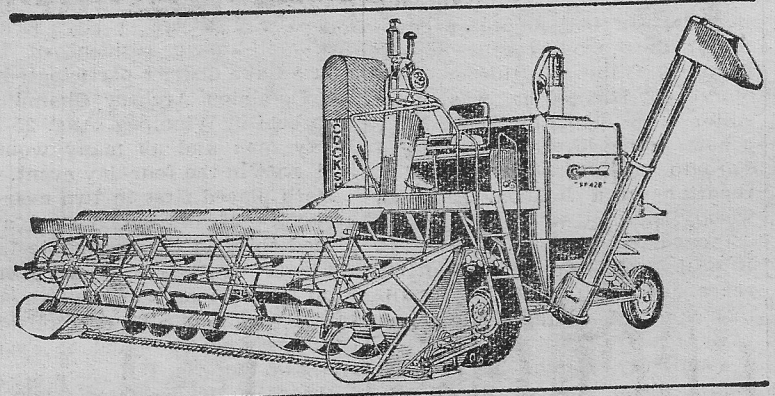

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Mr. and Mrs P. Tetreau and family of Vegreville, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Henson and family and Shei'a Henson of Edmonton were guests at the Cliff Henson home. Other guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henson were Mr. and Mrs. Fiss and son Norman from Nanaimo, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Lloyd of Lac la Biche were guests at the Woychuk home a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashton Golding and John Skoreyko from Wainwright recently visited the George Skoreyko and E. W. Groves families.

Alponse Wentzel of Bon Accord, former resident of this district, spent a recent weekend with his brother Ed.

Mrs. P. Tetreau, a visitor in the district, caught a 4¾ pound, 29½ inches long Jack fish in Perch Lake Sunday, Aug. 31.

Mr. Bergdahl from Minneapolis, Minn., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hansen. Mr. Bergdahl is a former resident of this district.

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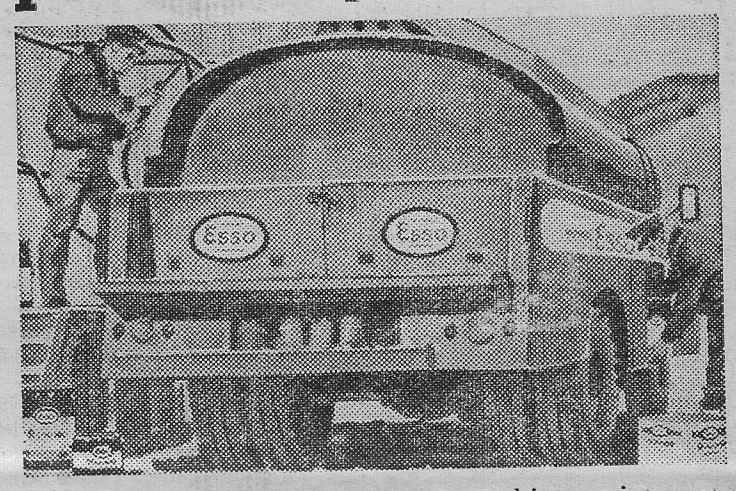

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## NISKU AIRPORT TO OPEN 1961

EDMONTON— Target date for operational use of the Nisku airport is 1961, according to information received in a letter from Ottawa by Marcel Lambert, MP for Edmonton West for the Progressive Conservatives.

A story appearing in the Edmonton Sun and the Morinville Journal indicated the "$12,000,000 project, which the department of transport at Ottawa announced earlier would open in the fall of 1960, is not expected to open until 1962".

Mr. Lambert said the "1960 completion date was given before any plans had been prepared by the previous administration. From intimate knowledge in connection with this project I know that rapid development and advances in airport requirement has caused some change in plans.

"Work on the runway installation is well in hand," he said. "It is expected very shortly an announcement will be made in connection with the remaining installations, which would indicate that as little delay as possible will be permitted on this project.

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## To Modify TV Policy

OTTAWA — Revenue Minister Nowlan has indicated that government television policy of "one area, one station" may soon be changed.

He said the time is "rapidly approaching" when TV policy must be modified, a reference to the present directive—adopted by the former Liberal administration and maintained by the Progressive Conservative government — under which only one TV station is permitted to operate in a given Canadian centre. In the case of all major Canadian centres, the TV station is a CBC one.

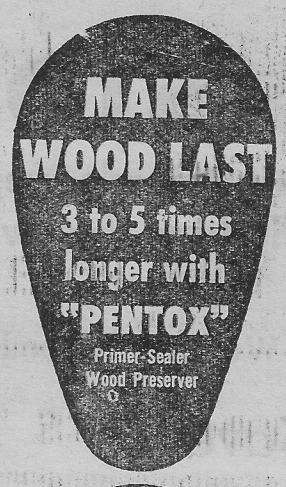
He said he believes TV policy should be changed in the near future and indicated the transport department will be instructed to receive applications for second TV stations in some areas.

## Library News

A meeting of the Plamondon Community Library was held in the school, with Paul Piquette occupying the chair.

In the yearly report Miss Helen Sullivan, retiring secretary, stated that during this first year of the existence of the library the number of books has been doubled.

Although the number of books borrowed has not reached expectations at this date the group feels that over the years an increase will be noted in the number of persons who use the facilities of the library.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## NORTHERN CLUB CALENDAR by NORTHLAND UTILITIES

**The Athabasca Health Unit presents a schedule of Infant and Pre-School Clinics to be held during September.**

Richmond Park—School, second Thursday, Sept. 11, 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Imperial Mills—Hall, third Wednesday, Sept. 17, 1:00 - 3:30 p.m.

Rich Lake—School, third Thursday, Sept. 18, 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Athabasca—Office, third Friday, Sept. 19, 10 - 11 a.m. and 1:30 - 4 p.m.

Lac la Biche—Office, third Friday, Sept 19, 10:00 - 11 a.m. and 1:30 - 4 p.m.

Grassland—Nurses Home, fourth Monday, Sept. 22, 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Boyle—Library, fourth Tuesday, Sept. 23, 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Rochester—School, fourth Wednesday, Sept. 25 2:30- 3:30 p.m.

Athabasca—Office, fourth Friday, Sept. 26, 10:00 - 11 a.m. for adults and 1:30 - 4 p.m. for Infant and Pre-School.

Lac la Biche—Office, fourth Friday, Sept. 26, 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. for adults and 1:30 - 4 p.m. for Infant and Pre-School.

PLAMONDON—
Films of interest will be shown at the Plamondon Community Hall on Sunday, September 14th, at 8:30 p.m. These films are of the Golden Jubilee Parade, Hunting Scenes, Wild Life and others.

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### PICKLES

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The prime ingredient in making pickles is salt—common cooking or dairy salt. Do not use table salt. It contains a filler to prevent caking which may cause difficulty by neutralizing some of the acid of the pickles.

Cucumbers and other vegetables to be pickled are practically always salted and allowed to stand overnight or longer. This treatment also prepares them to absorb the vinegar solution later, so that they will be firm and crisp.

Vinegar, like salt, is a preserving as well as flavoring ingredient. Vinegar of 4 to 6 percent acidity is excellent for pickling. It is best to dilute vinegar with about half water, particularly at the start of the pickling process, to avoid unattractive shriveling and hardening of pickles. White distilled vinegar may be used for white vegetables such as cauliflower, if desired.

Sugar also helps to preserve and flavor pickles. Cane or beet or brown sugar may be used. Honey or corn syrup may be substituted for 1/3 to ½ the sugar called for in any sweet pickle recipe.

Spices add flavor and fragrance and help to preserve the food. To keep syrup and pickles light in color, tie whole spices loosely in a cheesecloth bag.

Use soft water if possible for long process pickles. If water is very hard, boil, cool, and strain through fine cloth. You can also soften water by adding 1 tablespoon of vinegar to each quart of water used for making the brine. Water containing iron may cause pickles to darken.

Too strong a solution of salt, vinegar, or sugar used at the beginning of the pickling will cause the pickles to shrivel up into hard, tough knots. To prevent this, start with a medium strong solution and gradually add to it until full strength is reached.

Too weak a brine is likely to cause soft, slippery pickles, very unattractive and unpalatable. Usual proportion for preliminary soaking is 1 pound of salt dissolved in 9 pints of water.

## New Schools Cost $100,000,000 In Six Years

EDMONTON—"The paradoxical position of education today is that while facilities in the past were never as good as they are now there has never been the criticism of education that there is now," Hon. A. O. Aalborg, minister of education, told members of the Lions Club at their weekly luncheon meeting in the Macdonald.

The minister said that in the past six years $100,000,000 had been spent "in a mammoth program" of school construction in Alberta.

He said there are now only 400 one-room schools in the province compared with 2,000 a few years ago.

At school opening next week more than 70,000 children in rural areas, or more than one in four of the total school population, will travel to classes in school buses.

Mr. Aalborg said the Royal Commission on Education, which is to report next year, faced a task of great magnitude as its recommendations will have a great influence on future educational policies.

He said there will be a "full fledged" university in Calgary eventually and that it will be the policy of the government to extend aid to students so that no one will be unable to go to university because of financial difficulties.

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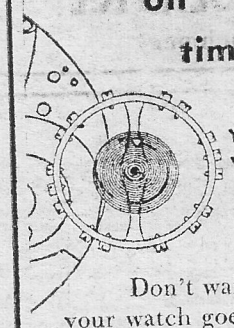

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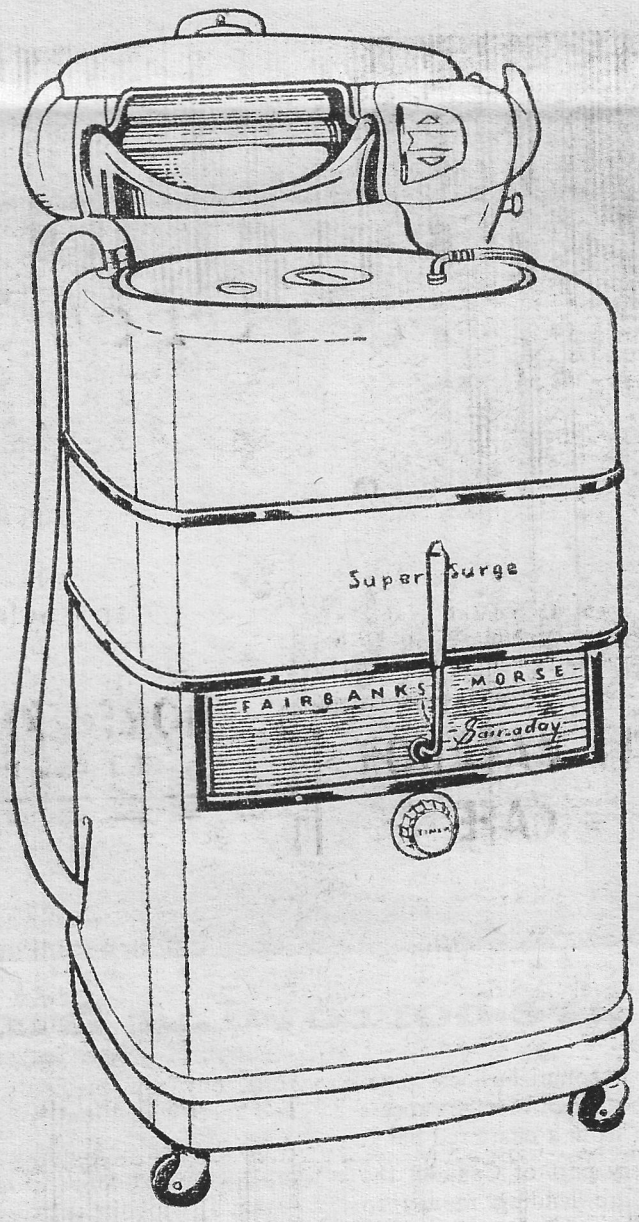


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GATHERING at the display of this year's entries in the Better Newspapers Competition at the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association's convention in Toronto last week, are, left to right, Bert Smith, CWNA convention chairman, the Port Credit (Ont.) Weekly; Fred W. Beattie, the Annapolis Royal (N.S.) Spectator; H. E. McCormick, (new) president CWNA, the Montreal Monitor; G. Cecil Day immediate past president CWNA, the Liverpool (N.S.) Advanced Helen Marsh, the Dauphin (Man.) Hera'd & Press; Lucien Fontaine, president, Association of Weeklky French Weeklies and publisher of the L'Abitibien, Val d'Or (Que.)

# 30 Canadian Weekly Newspapers Share Top Honors In Competition

TORONTO — More than 30 Canadian Weekly newspapers shared top honors in this year's Better Weekly Newspapers Competition, according to a list made public last week at the 39th annual convention of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association.

Four weeklies headed the list with three or more awards each. The Steinbach (Manitoba) Carillon News won the Mason Trophy for the best all-round paper with circulation of over 3,000. It also took second place in the Amherstburg Echo Shield competition for the best front page in its class; and third place in the Charters Cup Competition for the best 1957 Christmas edition, a special competition open to all classes.

The Aurora (Ontario) Banner, in the circulation class of 2,001 to 3,000 won the Gertrude A. Dunning Trophy for the best all-round paper; the P. George Pearce Trophy for the best editorial page; and the Frank Howe Beattie Shield for the best front page in its class.

The Courtenay (B.C.) Argus in the class of 1,001 to 2,000 circulation, won the Charles Clark Cup for the best all-round paper; the Malcolm MacBeth Shield for the best editorial page; the M. A. James Shield for the best front page in its class; and took second place for the Printer and Publisher Trophy for the best sports page.

The Winkler (Manitoba) Pembina Triangle Progress in the 1,000 circulation or less class, won the Walter Ashfield Trophy for the best all-round paper in its class; tied for second place with the Nanton (Alberta) News for the John W. Sedy Trophy for the best editorial page; and took second place for the Printer and Publisher Special Trophy for the best front page.

The complete list of 1958 winners was:

CLASS I — Circulation over 3,000: Best All-Round Competition for the Mason Trophy: First, Steinbach (Manitoba) Carillon News; Second, Oakville (Ontario) Journal; Third, Chilliwack (B.C.) Progress.

Best Editorial Page Competition for the David Williams Trophy: First, Abbotsford (B.C.) News; Second, Westview (B.C.) Powell River News; Third, Newmarket (Ontario) Era and Express.

Best Front Page Competition for the Amherstburg Echo Shield: First, Vernon (B.C.) News; Second, Steinbach (Manitoba) Carillon News; Third, Brampton (Ontario) Conservator and Oakville (Ontario) Journal.

CLASS II — Circulation 2,001 to 3,000: Best All-Round Paper Competition for the Gertrude A. Dunning Trophy: First, Aurora (Ont.) Banner; Second, Listowel (Ontario) Banner; Third, Renfrew (Ontario) Advance.

Best Editorial Page Competition for the P. George Pearce Memorial Trophy: First, Aurora (Ontario) Banner; Second, Fort Erie (Ontario) Times-Review; Thisd, Humboldt (Saskatchewan) Journal.

Best Front Page Competition for the Frank Hwe Beattie Shield: First, Aurora (Ontario) Banner; Second, Goderich (Ontario) Signal-Star; Third, Renfrew (Ontario) Advance.

CLASS III — Circulation 1,001 to 2,000: Best All-Round Paper Competition for the Charles Clark Cup: First, Courtenay, (B.C.) Argus; Second, Acton (Ontario) Free Press; Third, Clinton (Ontario) News-Record.

Best Editorial Page Competition for the Malcolm MacBeth Shield: First, Courtenay (B.C.) Argus; Second, Acton (Ontario) Free Press; Third, Port Elgin (Ontario) Times.

Best Front Page Competition for the M. A. James Shield: First, Courtenay (B.C.) Argus; Second, Delhi (Ontario) News-Record; Third, Acton (Ontario) Free Press.

CLASS IV — Circulation 1,000 or less: Best All-Round Paper Competition for the Walter Ashfield Trophy: First, Winkler (Manitoba) Pembina Triangle Progress; Second, Nanton (Alberta) News; Third, Sutton (Ontario) Reporter.

Best Editorial Page Competition for the John W. Eedy Trophy: First, Grenfell (Saskatchewan) Sun; Second, Nanton (Alberta) News, and also Winkler (Manitoba) Pembina Triangle Progress; Third, Agassiz (B.C.) Agassiz-Harrison Advance.

Best Front Page Competition for the Printer and Publisher Special: First, Port Coquitlam (B.C.) Herald; Second, Winkler (Manitoba) Pembina Triangle Progress; Third, Grenfell (Saskatchewan) Sun.

Special Competitions: Best 1957 Christmas Edition Competition for the Charters Cup: First, Le Courrier de Montmagny, Montmagny, Quebec; Second, Ponoka (Alberta) Herald; Third, Steinbach (Manitoba) Carillon News.

Best Local Spot News Picture Competition for the H. E. Rice Trophy: First, Grand Falls (Newfoundland) Advertiser; Second, Coaticook (Quebec) Observer; Third, Oakville (Ontario) Journal.

Best Sport Page Competition for the Printer and Publisher Trophy: First, Yorkton Enterprise, Yorkton, Saskatchewan; Second, Courtenay Argus, Courtenay, B.C.; Third, Grand Falls Advertiser, Grand Falls, Newfoundland.

## Hylo

Members of the Hylo school staff are principal B. Sachko, Mrs. Olga Meardi and Mrs. Elda Keehn.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Beaudry and son, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Bourassa and two giris and Jacques Bourassa were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bourassa.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Kennedy are the proud parents of a son.

The editor knows these efforts often fizzle, but this newspaper is publishing darned regularly.

## Hospital News

St. Catherine's Hospital, Lac la Biche, reports the following patients for the week ending Sept. 6.

Mrs. Joe Cardinal, Imperial Mills; Susan Clark, Lac la Biche; Westley Fournal, Grandin; George Cardinal, Tweedie; Phyllis Pruden, Beaver Lake; Leonard Gauthier, Plamondon; Randy Shirt, Good Fish Lake; Ronald Sempietro, Lac la Biche; Charlie Hamelin, Imperial Mills; Josephine Lapierre, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Charles Gaudet, Plamondon; John Alex Whitford, Briereville; Mrs. Daniel Baglot, John Skrypan, Lac la Biche; D'Arcy Hula, Grassland; Mrs. Robert Piquette, Plamondon; Allan Boucher, Lac la Biche; Sheila Marie Boucher, Mile 168; Alex Kitt, Lac la Biche; Cindy Johnson, Atmore; James Dakin, Plamondon; Colette Langevin, Mrs. Jeanne Malouvet, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Adrien Bourassa, Plamondon; Mrs. Art McGinnis, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Steve Soroko, Boyle.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Steve Soroko, Boyle, a son, Sept. 1.

## Caslan

Donald Henson of Edmonton motored here for a brief visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Henson.

Patricia Trenchie from Edmonton is staying with her aunt, Mrs. Stanley Cislo, to attend the Caslan school.

Miss Iva Meyer and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Meyer and family, all of Edmonton, spent the recent long weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Meyer.

Harold Krawchuk has returned home from Edmonton where he was working during the summer, to resume high school studies in Lac la Biche. Donald Gordon is staying with his sister, Mrs. Nick Mahowich in Hylo and will attend high school in Lac la Biche. Caroline Palylyk is attending high school in the Vilna district.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Wilson have returned to their home.

School has re-opened and the new teachers this term are Mrs. York, junior room; Victor Strembitsky, intermediate room and Peter Rudiak, senior room. Alex Halitsky is again bus driver.

Mrs. Hensley and Miss M. Pattison are the teachers for the Caslan Colony school.

## Egg Lake

Mr. and Mrs. Adrien Amiot of Edmonton, former residents of this district, were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Amiot.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Girard and daughter Denise motored from Edmonton to spend a weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Girard.

Miss Ghistaine Lebeuf, daughter of Maurice Lebeuf, holidayed at the camp for diabetic children at Lake Wabamun.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rudiger and daughter Linda were recent visitors in Edmonton.

Mrs. Marcel Vincent and four children spent some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Lebeuf and have now gone to Uranium City, Sask., for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Ward from Edmonton were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Amiot.

After serving in this parish the past eight years Rev. A. Ricard has been transferred to Vimy.

# Tony & Jossei Zilinski Open Cafe In Boyle

## "The Matador" Is Name Selected By Former Massey-Ferguson Agent

BOYLE — A modern restaurant called The Matador is the latest business addition here.

Well known locally, Tony and Jossei Zilinski are the proud owners of the smartly-designed cafe.

Slanting front windows and special effects with wood trim and panelling are original creations of farmer-carpenter Cliff Henderson.

The 28 ft. by 41 ft. building has a black and white tile floor. Counter service or booth and table service are provided.

Tony and Jossei have been operating The Matador for six weeks now.

Tony was the Massey-Ferguson dealer in Boyle from 1946 to 1956.

He spent 18 months in the cafe business at McMurray. He knows the grocery trade having had a store at Clyde for two years. Tony also farmed near Vimy.

The Matador will be open from 7 a.m. until 11 p.m. or 12 midnight depending on the demand, Tony points out.

Everyone is invited to visit The Matador in Boyle.

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# Name 6 Canadian Weekly Newspaper Veterans Honorary Life Members

TORONTO — Six veterans of the weekly newspaper industry were named honorary life members at the 39th annual convention of the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association at the King Edward Hotel. The award is the highest honor conferred by the CWNA.

The six publishers, with a total of more than 260 years of weekly newspaper experience, are: Charles J. Allbon of the Springhill (N.S.) Record; William H. Cranston of the Midland (Ontario) Free Press Herald; George A. Dills of the Acton (Ontario) Free Press and the Canadian Champion, Milton, Ontario; H. T. Halliwell of the Macleod (Alberta) Gazette; Roy P. MacLean of the Kelowna, (B.C.) Courier; and Harry B. Munroe of the Swan River (Manitoba) Star and Times.

A past president of the CWNA and the Nova Scotia Weekly Newspapers Association, Mr. Allbon was born in Springhill in 1890 and during the First World War was decorated with the M.C. by King George V. During World War II he commanded the Second Reserve Battalion of the North Nova Scotia Highlanders.

He began newspapering at Perdue, Saskatchewan, in 1919, and after six months took charge of the Asquith (Saskatchewan) Record, which he operated until 1928 when he moved back to Springhill and purchased the Springhill Record.

The Record lost its plant in a disastrous fire in December, 1957, which also destroyed much of the business section of Springhill. A new plant is in operation.

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Mr. Cranston is the son of the late Dr. J. H. Cranston, editor for 21 years of the Toronto Star Weekly and later editor and publisher of the Midland Free Press. Born in Toronto in 1914, he started his newspaper work as a reporter on the Toronto Star in 1929, and today follows his father as editor and publisher of the Midland paper.

Under his guidance the Midland Free Press has several times won the Williams Cup for the leading editorial page among non-daily papers as well as the Mason Trophy for the best all-round large circulation weekly.

Mr. Cranston is president and co-founder of the Huronia Museum at Midland and honorary life president of the Huronia Historic Sites and Tourist Association as well as chairman of the Ontario Archaeological and Historic Sites Board.

In 1956 he was deputy reeve of the town of Midland and has been active in many community activities. During the war he was Special Assistant to Donald Gordon of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

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Mr. Dills was born in Port Dover, Ontario in 1893, and started newspaper work in 1909 on the Acton (Ontario) Free Press, which he purchased in 1927 and in 1943 he bought the Canadian Champion at Milton, Ontario.

Mr. Dills is a charter member of the Ontario Weekly Newspapers Association which has named him, "Weekly Newspaperman of 1958." He is CWNA director and chairman of its Executive Committee.

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Mr. Halliwell was born in London, England, in 1881 and in 1903 came to Canada and started the Oxbow (Saskatchewan) Herald After several years on weeklies in Saskatchewan he took over as publisher of the Macleod Gazette in 1940.

Mr. Halliwell is past president of the Alberta Division CWNA and a past president of the CWNA. He has also held office as secretary and vice-president of the Saskatchewan Division CWNA.

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Mr. MacLean was born in Picton, Ontario where his family has controlled the Picton Times since 1885. On leaving school he worked for the Canadian Churchman and other church papers and was in advertising for a number of years. In 1934 he became editor of the Picton Times and four years later went west as publisher of the Kelowna (B.C.) Courier, where he has seen circulation grow from 300 to over 4,600.

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Mr. Munro was born in Edinburgh, Scotland, in 1883 and came to Canada in 1904 to work for the old Toronto Globe. A year later he moved to Port Arthur and started a weekly, the Port Arthur News, a fore-runner of today's News Chronicle daily. In 1910 he moved to The Pas, Manitoba, and soon was putting out The Pas Herald. In 1929 he moved to Swan River.

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# Robin Echlin To Seek Seat

EDMONTON—Robin W. Echlin is the Social Credit candidate in Banff-Cochrane for the next Alberta general election, the Alberta Social Credit League announced.

The present member of the legislature for Banff-Cochrane is F. L. Gainer, Coalition.

The nominating convention for Okotoks-High River has been postponed indefinitely.

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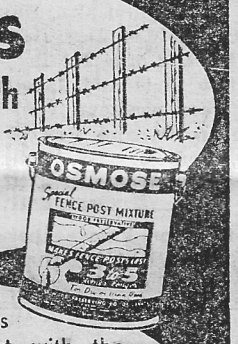


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## Introduce Boyle Teachers

At the opening of the new Boyle school the following teachers were asked to stand as they were introduced to those present:

R. Marrinier, principal; Y. E. Kabayama, vice-principal; Mrs. Mary K. Hart (not returned); Martin J. Lund, Mrs. Alice Frinski, Mrs. Helen Danyyluk, Miss Lorraine Zilinski, Denise Loiselle (not here); Miss Helen B. Spila, Mrs. Emily Mikalonis, Mss Mary Sawchyn.

## Atmore

R. Guedo has left for Perryvale where he is a member of the school staff.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Duigou were recent visitors at Lac la Biche.

Cindy, daughter of Jerome Johnson, is a patient in Lac la Biche Hospital. Sharon Johnson returned home from hospital recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Shank and family left, Aug. 30, for their new home at Plamondon.

Fred Verkland, formerly of Edmonton, is staying at the William Campbell home and attending Grassland school.

Atmore school buses are making regular trips despite muddy roads. Schools opened Sept. 2, earliest in years.

Kay Rudman is back from Edmonton, where she spent her holidays, and is attending Grassland school.

Lawrence and Paul Grenier from Golden, B. C., are visiting their parents here.

Farmers in the district are swathing an early but rather light crop.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Croutze of Edmonton were weekend visitors in the district. Roger, who has been employed by CIL's plastic plant for the past three years, is now assistant shift engineer. He recently completed a course in engineering at the Calgary Institute of Technology.

Water skiing is lots of fun. But remember, there must be two people in the boat—one to drive the boat and the other to watch the skier. Water skiers, especially beginners, should wear life jackets. Play safe for more fun afloat.

## Teachers Named For School Division

The following is the teacher placement for the Lac la Biche school division:

Plamondon — Sister Marie Ludger, Paul Piquette, A. Girard, Sister Marie Ste. Christine, Miss Cecille Gervais, Miss Alvine Plamondon, Mrs. Eugene Plamondon. Sister Marie Frederick, Mrs. M. Bourassa, W. Gusharty, Sister Leontine Marie.

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Craigend — E. K. Makowichuk, Mrs. M. Kaufman, Miss H. Sullivan, Miss M. Golosky.

Hylo — William Sachko, Mrs. O. Meardi, Mrs. E. Keehn.

Rich Lake — P. Mulyk, A. Salahub, Mrs. F. Mulyk, Mrs. R. Kumpula.

Owl River — D. Sykes, Mrs. R. V. Sykes.

Owl River, No. 2 — W. C. McFarland.

Wandering River — N. Gordichuk, Mrs. M. E. Sundlie, Miss M. Meyer.

Caslan — D. Rudiak, V. Strembisky, Mrs. M. York.

Big Bay — J. Pawlowich.

Imperial Mills — Mrs. G. Diesal, supervisor; A. Lamoureux, supervisor.

Philomena — Miss B. Pozer, supervisor.

## HEAR TALK ON GRAIN SHIPMENTS

BOYLE — Travelling superintendent Hamilton, fieldman Ed Ness and Pool delegate John Lund were present at a special meeting, called in connection with grain deliveries, at Venice last Tuesday. Addresses of the various speakers were followed by a lively discussion.

## Boyle

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hitz of Athabasca and Mr. Hitz of California were visitors at the home of Kenneth Lund, Aug. 31.

Rev. and Mrs. B. Hart and David returned home Sept. 5. Robert Lund taught Grade 9 while Mrs. Hart was away.

Gravelling has started on the Bondiss road and some of the school routes are also receiving a coat of gravel.

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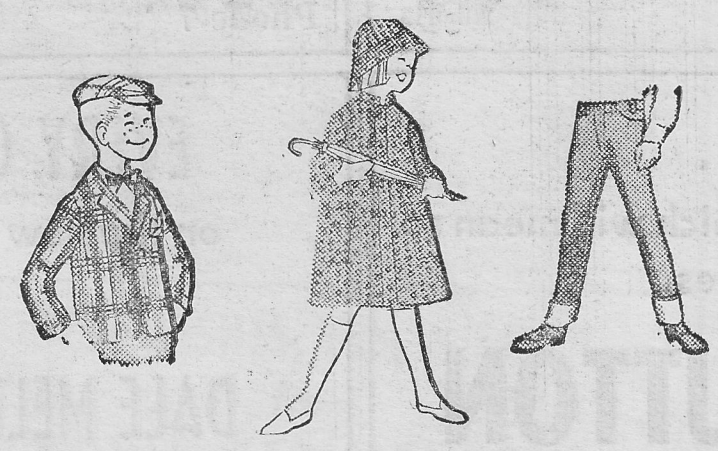

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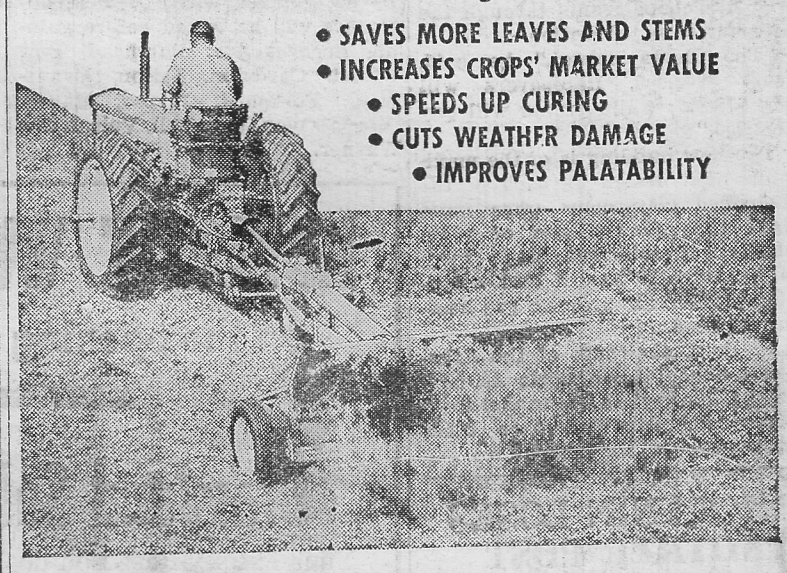

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# $281,000 Grassland School Opened

## Education Minister Addresses Over 550 In Big Gymnasium

By KEN LARSON

GRASSLAND — The new $281,000 school was officially opened Friday afternoon by the Hon. A. O. Aalborg, Alberta's minister of education.

Mr. Aalborg outlined the provincial government's completed and planned educational program.

"In the past six years," he said, "the value of new schools completed in Alberta totalled $100,000,000. The 1957 building program of $30,000,000 alone saw 122 school gymnasiums constructed."

Mr. Aalborg said that of 250,000 children going to school in this province, less than four percent attend one-room schools.

Outlining plans for the future, the minister of education said the Socreds will spend $350,000,000 on education in the next five years. He said the expanded bursary and scholarship program will make it possible for all Alberta children to go to university.

As he opened Boyle's new 11-room school with gymnasium, the minister said "a good building doesn't mean a good education. Many other things must also be provided especially well-qualified teachers, libraries, transportation facilities, etc.

"Mind you, he pointed out, "no matter how good these things are, without a good building and good equipment, teachers can be handicapped—much as a mechanic would be without good tools."

M. G. Gault, superintendent of schools for the Athabasca School Division, explained the plan of the school and reviewed the school construction program in the division in the past six years.

"This brings the building program to a culmination," he said. "We have completed our program of centralization. There is no one-room school in the division."

Mr. Gault said the division's last ten new schools or additions cost $1,024,000. Of this, $419,000 will be paid by the ratepayers through taxes, while $605,000 will be covered by school grants through the department of education.

"The Boyle school," he said, "cost $202,000. Ratepayers will pay $78,877, while grants will pay $123,200."

The new building is of the maximum light design as each of the five-sided classrooms offer more light through the use of glass blocks and windows. Each room is individually heated and ventilated—forced air propane gas heating is used.

E. Parr, chairman of the Athabasca School Division No. 42, presented the keys to the school to R. Marrinier, principal. Two other presentations were made to Mr. Marrinier during the program. On behalf of the department of education, Mr. Aalborg presented a framed picture of a typical Alberta scene.

Norman Fooks, of Fooks & Milne architects, Lethbridge, which designed the "maxim light schools, presented a picture suitable for hanging.

Eric Clintberg concluded the program with a vocal solo.

M. D. Morrison, divisional trustee, was chairman of the program and invited visitors to inspect the school and enjoy lunch provided by the Boyle Home and School Association.

### INTRODUCES GRASSLAND TEACHERS

At the opening of the new Grassland school, chairman Walter Ilnicki introduced the following teachers to parents, who, as they stood, were applauded by the student body and visitors:

V. A. Macneil, principal; C. D. Pritchet, vice - principal; D. N. John, Mrs. Blanche E. Dakin, A. Spila, S. Chodan, Miss J. Shirley Johnson, H. E. Sawchuk, Miss Joyce H. Elgert, Mrs. Ruby L. Edwards, Mrs. Elsie Zembal, Mrs. Eliza Pritchet, Mrs. Lena Sworin, Mrs. Roberta Edwards, Mrs. Marget S. Dobson.

### More Centres For Examination

EDMONTON — Highways Minister Taylor announced Wednesday the opening of 12 new driver examination centres, bringing to 59 the total in the province.

New centres where vehicle operators will be tested before gaining licences are: Barrhead, Bow Island, Cardston, Edson, Evansburg, Foremost, Jasper, Mayerthorpe, Oyen, Vauxhall, Vulcan and Warner.

### BULGANIN LOSES ANOTHER POST

LONDON (UPI) — Radio Moscow announced that the Soviet Communist party had removed former Premier Nikolai Bulgain from the party presidium.

Bulganin has been on the downgrade since he lost out to present premier and party boss Nikita Khrushchev. He was given a minor governmental post only last month. Radio Moscow said the action was taken at a meeting of the party's central committee. The committee also decided to hold its 21st party congress next January.

The last congress — the 20th — was held in February, 1956. It was the occasion for Khrushchev's now - famous attack on the late Josef Stalin's methods and the so-called "cult of the personality."

The truth is a great enemy to conversation.

VIEWING PICTURES which were gifts to the new Grassland school from the Department of Education and from the architects Fooks & Milne of Lethbridge are: (l-r) M. G. Gault, superintendent of schools; Walter Ilnicki, divisional trustee; Hon. A. O. Aalborg, minister of education; V. A. Macneil, principal and E. Parr, chairman, Athabasca School Division No. 42. The new 16-room plus gymnasium schcool cost $281,000 and completes the building program of the Athabasca school division which has spent $1,024,000 on ten new schools or additions within the past six years. Boyle opened a new $202,000 11-room school and gym the same day.

### Agriculture School Registrations Jump

EDMONTON — Registrations to date in Alberta's schools of agriculture are up over last year, J. E. Hawker, superintendent of the schools, said last week.

Only two schools are in operation this year — at Vermilion and Olds. The Fairview school was closed due to falling attendance and a fire that caused heavy damage.

The two schools have a registration of 166, 53 more than last year.

There are 89 students registered at Vermilion so far and 77 at Olds. Seventy-four of the Vermilion students are boys and 15 girls. Olds has 63 boys and 14 girls.

Registration closes Oct. 28 with classes beginning the next day.

If you drink and drive you are not only thoughtless but selfish.

## ATHABASCA SCHOOL DIVISION COMPLETES $1,024,000 PROGRAM

The Athabasca School Division marked the completion of 10 new schools or additions in the past six years costing $1,024,000, with the opening of the new Grassland and Boyle schools.

M. G. Gault, superintendent of schools, gave details of the building program at the recent school opening as follows:

First phase: construction of four classrooms at Smith; three classrooms at Lahaieville, two at Rochester plus an administration area; three at Ellscott; and 14 classrooms at Athabasca plus gym.

Four years ago the board decided to reorganize the building program due to changes in needs and policy.

Since then, five rooms and a gym were added to Smith, six rooms plus gym at Colinton, four rooms and gym at Rochester, a new three-room school at Richmond Park one-classroom addition, washrooms and renovations to Calling Lake school; 16 rooms and gym at Grassland; 11 rooms and gym at Boyle; five rooms and gym at Perryvale; 1 room and gym to lower school at Athabasca, and four rooms added to upper school at Athabasca.

Mr. Gault said this brings the building program of the Athabasca school division to a culmination. The program of centralization has been completed. There is no one-room school in this division.

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GETTING HIS GROUP together for the start of rehearsals, CBC's Happy Gang leader, Eddie Allen, gives big-man Joe Niosi a lift with his double bass. Eddie and the Happy Gang will give a lift to listeners of CBC's Trans-Canada radio network when they return this month with a new series of daily shows. This will be their 22nd year on the CBC.

## Airmen Complete Survival Course

EDMONTON—The 200th RCAF survival training course graduated here Sept. 2. Since the survival training school was re-organized in June, 1952, more than 6000 flying personnel from the U.K., USA and Canada, have taken the rugged course which teaches aircrew how to survive in the event of a forced landing in the wilderness. Trainees have come from Britain's Air Force and Navy, the United States Air Force, Navy and Marine Corps, Canada's Air Force, Army, Navy, RCMP, DOT and from companies working along the DEW Line.

Summer and winter bush courses are conducted at Jarvis Lake in the Rocky Mountain foothills. Arctic courses, during which the aircrews build and live in igloos, are held at Cambridge Bay, NWT.

## Edmonton Firm Gets Contract

EDMONTON — Alberta government contract worth $82,188 and covering application of asphalt mix to seven miles of highway has been awarded to Floyd Barber Limited of Edmonton, highways minister Taylor announced.

The work will take in four miles on highway 43-46 from the junction of highway 2 to Didsbury, and on highway 43-47 from the junction of No. 2 to Carstairs, a distance of three miles.

Other tenders included: Galleli & Sons, Calgary, $83,522; Poole Engineering, Edmonton, $88,60; Standard Gravel, Calgary, $96,254, and Arthur A. Voice, Edmonton, $114,599.

## Report Due On Dismissal

EDMONTON—A three-man sub committee investigating the dismissal of P. D. Hargrave from his post as superintendent of the Brooks Horticultural station is expected to have its report ready soon.

John E. Hart of the attorney-general's department, one of the members, said the report will be turned over to provincial treasurer Hinman, chairman of the joint civil service-cabinet committee.

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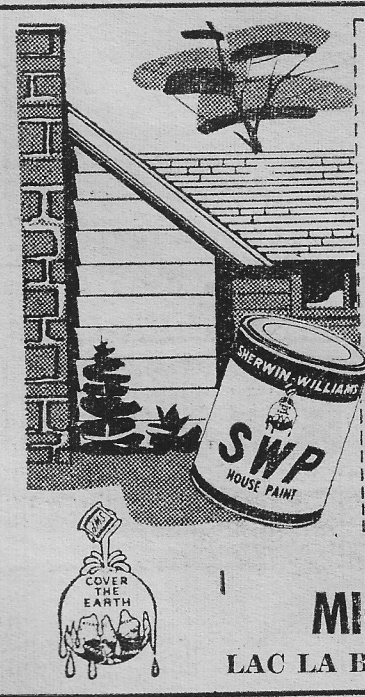


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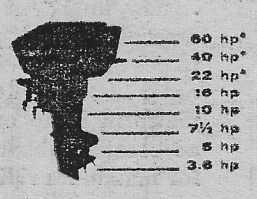


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# "The Man From Wales" Will Preach Evangelistic Campaign For Baptists

EDMONTON — Churches of the Baptist Union of Western Canada are co-operating in a special Evangelistic Crusade this fall to be conducted by Rev. Ivor Powell. Known around the World as "The Man From Wales", the famous Baptist preacher will conduct services in First Baptist Church. Dates are October 19th to November 2nd inclusive.

Mr. Powell will come directly to Edmonton from Saskatchewan where two earlier campaigns are scheduled for Moose Jaw and Regina. Earlier this year, Mr. Powell conducted a series of meetings in Westmount Baptist church, where Rev. Edgar Bailey, formerly of Edmonton, is pastor.

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## University Grants Up 50 Per Cent

OTTAWA — The government is boosting federal grants to universities by 50 per cent, Finance Minister Fleming announced in the Commons.

He said the current annual budget of $17,100,000 for such grants will be increased by $8,500,000 to $25,600,000, effective immediately.

The money is paid to the National Conference of Canadian Universities which in turn distributes it to the universities, under an agreement signed in March, last year.

## Name Municipal Finance Chairman

Calgary's city commissioner of finance, Dudley E. Batchelor, has been appointed Alberta provincial chairman of the Municipal Finance Officers' Association for the 1958-59 term.

The appointment was made by James H. Lowther, president of the M.F.O.A. of the U.S. and Canada, and the finance commissioner for Ottawa. It is recognized as an important office in the international association of more than 2,850 officials.


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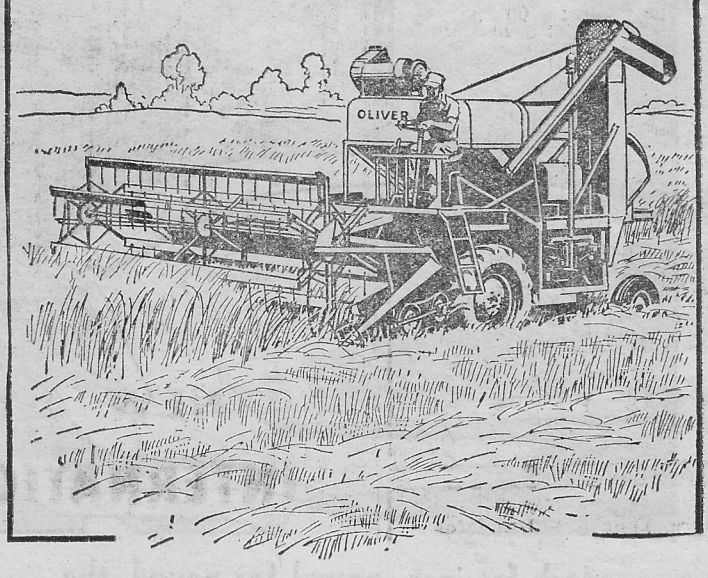


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## Charron

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hnicki are proud to announce that they have become grandparents for the ninth time. The new grandchild is a daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Stremelak of Spruce Valley, in Lac la Biche hospital.

Mrs. Valmore St. Jean made a business trip to Edmonton recently.

The Sandy Karpetz farm has been a scene of much activity. Thirteen large trucks transported the oil rig, which had been stored in the Karpetz field and is owned by the Dominion Drilling Company, to a new site near Morinville.

Visitors at the Sandy Karpetz home over the Labor Day weekend were Mr. and Mrs. John Karpetz and family and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bodner of Edmonton and Paul Rebkovich of Calgary.

Miss Joanna Cote has returned home after six weeks' vacation at High Prairie.

Thomas Rebkovich of Wandering River is attending Grassland school and boarding at the Sandy Karpetz home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fischer of High Prairie are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Cote.

George Shapka has returned from the Wandering River area where he was cruising timber with the district fire ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bodner of Edmonton visited Mr. and Mrs. John Zayonce.

Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Karpetz were in the Breynat district recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Coonan of Wandering River visited in this district last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fischer of Edmonton and Mr. and Mrs. Roderick Baldwin of Atmore were guests at the J. Fischer home.

Fred Fischer is employed by the Dominion Drilling Co. now located near Morinville.

Peter Shapka made a business trip to Edmonton recently.

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There are those who expect to get to Heaven by telling others they are going to Hell.

## Spruce Valley

Emil Zilinski and Mike Chomiak [illegible] and Mrs. Bill Juban of Lac la Biche were recent visitors at their farms in this district.

Weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Zilinski were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Iwanka and son Richard of Edmonton.

Last weekend Mr. and Mrs. Mike Homeniuk accompanied their daughter Grace to Edson where she has accepted a position on the school staff.

George Wojtowicz has left for the United States where he will attend school.

Jackie Woywitka has returned to her home at Edson after summer holidaying with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Homeniuk.

Sylvia Kolowski has returned to Edmonton after spending a few days at the farm here.

Tony Zachkewich is driver of the bus that conveys the local children to the new school at Grassland.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Spry (nee Jennie Yurchak) and Miss Elsie Yurchak of Edmonton were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Yurchak.

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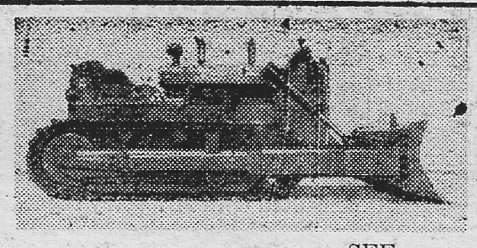

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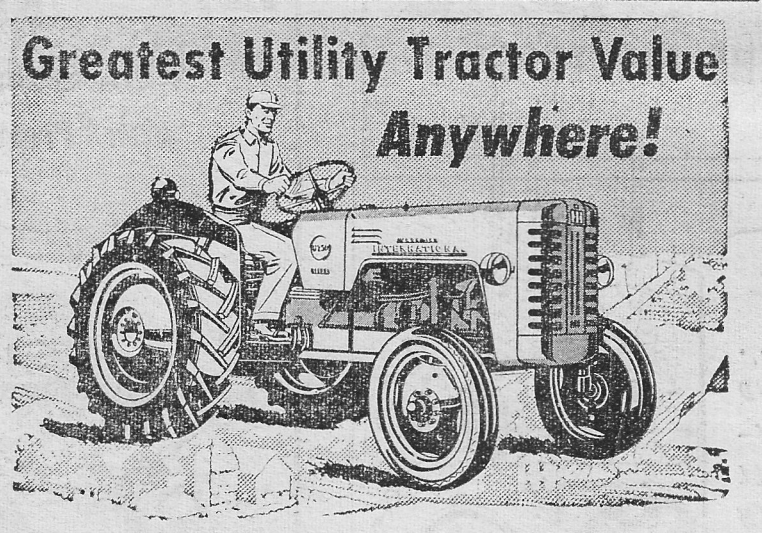

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# TEACHERS HOLD INSTITUTE

All teachers of the Lac la Biche school division attended an institute held in the Dr. Swift School, Friday, Sept. 5.

In a general session under the chairmanship of Mr. H. Senetza, the teachers were welcomed by Mr. Filipchuk. New members were introduced, and administrative matters were discussed and explained.

The grades 1-6 groups held a discussion on language teaching headed by Mr. Filipchuk, while the junior and senior high school sections considered evaluation of essays under the leadership of Mrs. J. Cunningham.

In afternoon sessions Mrs. Mastaler outlined development of a resources unit in enterprise, while Mr. Makowichuk and Mr. G. L. Berry, high school inspector explained developmental reading.

Mr. I. Goresky, superintendent of schools in the county of Thorhild and member of the curriculum committee on elementary reading, discussed reading with grades 1-6. Junior and senior high school teachers received some instruction and guidance from Mr. Gordon Peers of the department of education, while principals and vice-principals consulted with Mr. Berry regarding proposed programs for the year.

## Venice

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Krusky and children from Trail, B.C. were recent guests at the home of Mrs. Krusky's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Torresan.

A Wheat Pool meeting, recently held in the Venice Hall was well attended by farmers of the surrounding districts.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson have moved to their farm south of Caslan.

Benny Ferro was a recent patient in the Lac la Biche, St. Catherine's Hospital.

Lorenzo Giacobbo has returned home after working for the summer holidays in Fort McMurray.

## ALBERTA EGG PLAN FAILS

**EDMONTON—For the second time within a year, Alberta egg producers have turned down an attempt to establish a compulsory egg marketing board.**

**Hon. L. C. Halmrast, Alberta's minister of agriculture in announcing the results said only 40 per cent of listed voters indicated they were in favor of the plan.**

**Of 15,361 unspoiled ballots counted only 10,728 were affirmative votes, considerably less than the 51 per cent majority of 26,479 registered voters.**

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## Bride-Elect Is Shower Guest

LAC LA BICHE — Miss Mary Lou Cadieux whose marriage to Mr. Norman Grammer took place Sept. 8, was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower held at the home of Mrs. F. Creighton, Thursday evening.

Several contests were enjoyed by the ladies. Miss Gay Cadieux assisted her sister in opening the many lovely gifts. Lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Helen and Lilly Guinand.

## Amber Valley

Visitors over the long weekend were Mr. and Mrs. S. Brown and Mrs. B. Bowen of Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. C. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Heslep and family and Mr. and Mrs. H. Hinton from Edmonton.

Yvonne Bowen is home after spending a holiday of one month in Vancouver.

Mrs. N. G. Murphy has returned home from hospital.

Norma Bowen has accepted a position on the staff of Ellscott School.

Martin Saunders, Geraldine Whittaker, Agnes and Lonnie Sneed and Lola Brown have returned from their holidays and started back to school. Kenneth Edwards is driver of the school bus that transports the children from Amber Valley to Grassland.


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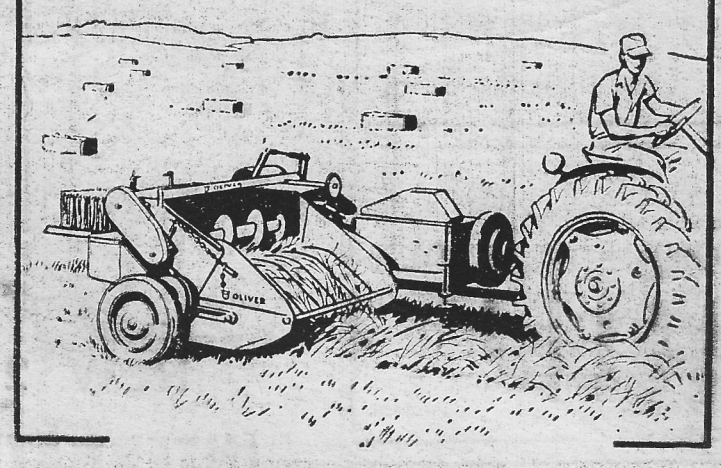

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